# COMMUTER ALERT

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## UPDATE
## PAVING AND GUARDRAIL PROJECT CONTINUES ON SR-18

**SAN BERNARDINO** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) continues with the paving and guardrail project on State Route 18 (SR 18) to mill and overlay pavement and upgrade guardrail on the shoulder.  The work is taking place between Lower Waterman Canyon and State Route 138 (SR-138)/Crestline Cutoff.  The guardrail work has been taking place since last month and the paving portion of the project began on Thursday, July 19.

The paving will take place on the outside lane first on the northbound (uphill) SR 18 and then continue to the outside lane on southbound direction of travel.  Once the southbound is completed, work will begin on the inside lanes.  Guardrail work will continue at various locations with lane closures during the paving.

Motorists are advised that during the paving there will be necessary traffic holds for up to ten minutes to allow the paving trucks to stage in the work zone.  The closure limits will be approximately two miles in length and flaggers will be on scene during the traffic breaks.  The California Highway Patrol is also assisting Caltrans with traffic control and enhanced enforcement.

The work hours are 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

**Motorists and truck traffic are advised that the paving will require reduced lane width. Please slow down and pay close attention while driving through the construction zone.**  If possible use State Route 330 (SR 330) to avoid delays.

All American Asphalt is working on the $17 million project, which is expected to be complete by the end of 2018.  *Know before you go!*  Stay on top of roadwork in the Inland Empire at www.caltrans8.info and sign up for commuter alerts.  View traffic conditions at http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov.

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